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Applicant: MILLS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are:

- 1. Amendment and Response to Non-Final Office Action mailed November 3, 2006.
- While no fees are believed due in conjunction with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>50-1852</u> as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
 - i. 🛛 Credit any overpayment.
 - ii. 🔀 Charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

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Respectfully submitted,

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